

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims to read as follows:

Claims 1-20 (Canceled)

21. (New) A method of installing a new storage system to a computer system having a host computer, a primary storage system and a secondary storage system, the computer system configured to remote copy write data from the host computer to the primary storage system to the secondary storage system, the method comprising:

coupling the new storage system to the primary storage system;

removing a host connection between the host computer and the primary storage system;

coupling the new storage system to the host computer;

receiving at the new storage system remote copy configuration information from the primary storage system;

coupling the new storage system to the second storage system; and

remote copying write data from the host computer to the new storage system to the secondary storage system based on the remote copy configuration information.

22. (New) The method of claim 21, further comprising:

migrating data from the primary storage system to the new storage system while the remote copying is performed.

23. (New) The method of claim 21, further comprising:

if the host computer issues a read request to data not yet migrated from the primary storage system to the new storage system, reading at the new storage system the data from the primary storage system and sending the data to the host computer.

24. (New) A method of installing a new primary storage system and a new secondary storage system to a computer system having a host computer, a primary

storage system and a secondary storage system, the computer system configured to remote copy write data from the host computer to the primary storage system to the secondary storage system, the method comprising:

- coupling the new primary storage system to the primary storage system;
- coupling the new secondary storage system to the secondary storage system;
- removing a host connection between the host computer and the primary storage system;

- coupling the new primary storage system to the host computer;
- receiving at the new primary storage system remote copy configuration information from the primary storage system;

- receiving at the new secondary storage system remote copy configuration information from the primary storage system;

- coupling the new primary storage system to the new secondary storage system;
- and

- remote copying write data from the host computer to the new storage system to the new secondary storage system based on the remote copy configuration information.

25. (New) The method of claim 24, further comprising:
migrating data from the primary storage system to the new primary storage system while the remote copying is performed.

26. (New) The method of claim 24, further comprising:
if the host computer issues a read request to data not yet migrated from the primary storage system to the new primary storage system, reading at the new primary storage system the data from the primary storage system and sending the data to the host computer.